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Scientist Hails Telepathy Test

Tells of Success in Trial to Cast Minds Across Atlantic Ocean.

DUNDEE, SCOTLAND. — The British Association for the Advancement of Science was told by a psychologist that he had established statistically the probable existence of the power of one mind to communicate with another, even across the Atlantic ocean.

Prof. John Hettinger of London university, said that he had engaged in research in mental telepathy for eight years. After satisfying himself that a prima facie case for telepathy had been made out, he began to wonder about the contention of some believers in telepathy that the faculty is not limited by distance.

Hettinger arranged with psychologists in New York to conduct a series of tests in which "controls" on the western side of the Atlantic looked at pictures clipped at random from magazines. "Sensitives" in London tried to pick up, as a radio receiver picks up signals from a transmitter, impressions of what the controls in New York were looking at.

Didn't Tell 'Em.

Neither controls nor sensitives were told what was going on.

He showed members of the society eastern sides of the experiments. A New Yorker looked at a picture of St. Louis. In London, the sensitive said simultaneously: Someone is counting—wants to count movements. Two men are in the attitude of boxing."

A New Yorker held up a picture of a man playing a string instrument with the thumb of one hand and the second and third fingers of the other. In London the sensitive said: "I want to use the thumb and third finger only."

Got It in London.

A New Yorker looked at an advertisement showing a waiter with a round tray on which were two tumblers. The sensitive in London said: "I am holding a small round tray with two glasses on it."

In New York, a control looked at a picture of a medical attendant examining the mouth of a war prisoner. The sensitive in London said: "Something is wrong with the mouth. I rather got the impression of a dentist."

A New Yorker looked at an advertisement showing four small and four large jars, with a woman holding her hand between the third and fourth large jars. In London, a sensitive said: "Glass jars. I want to take the fourth one."

Concluding his speech and demonstration, Hettinger said:

"I hope that a few of the psychologists who are present will fully grasp the implications, become interested in further experimentation and make their own future contributions to this most promising field of psychological investigations."

Population Hits 143,311,000, Census Bureau Estimates

WASHINGTON.—The census bureau reported that the population of the United States last April totaled approximately 143,311,000, including about 1,250,000 then in the military forces.

The bureau said the civilian population, estimated at 142,061,000, represented a gain of 10,392,000 or about 7.9 per cent in the seven-year period since April, 1940.

The largest increase, about 3,427,000 or 24.7 per cent, was reported in the West, with the smallest increase in the South where the gain was 1,107,000 or 2.7 per cent.

The bureau further said: The city population increased from 74,424,000 to about 83,860,000 or 12.7 per cent during the seven-year period.

The non-farm population in rural areas increased even more, from 27,020,000 to 30,896,000 or 14.3 per cent.

Estimates as of July 1, 1946, set the nation's population at 141,228,693 including troops overseas.

Discover New Type Insect That 'Attacks Anything'

COLUMBUS, OHIO.—Man apparently isn't alone in devising "secret weapons"—the insect world is doing it, too.

Jeff Swinecoat, naturalist for the Ohio State university museum, said mankind this year is being plagued by several new insects, including one that looks like a bumblebee and will attack anything.

This new insect, the naturalist said, has only two wings and has been given the name "robber fly."

Furthermore, Swinecoat said, there are four new species of mosquitoes.

Mary's Lamb Graduates After Visit to School

NEW YORK.—Mary and her little lamb went to school one day. Mary Ann Fannon, 5, fell in love with a baby lamb on a visit to the Bronx zoo. An uncle, hearing of the attachment, sent a lamb to Mary. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Fannon, decided the lamb wasn't suited to an apartment. So they decided to give the lamb to St. Joan of Arc parochial school as a mascot. Mary took her pet to class, but school authorities decided the Bronx zoo would be a better home for the lamb.

Rocks News

Rocks, Oct. 13.—It was quite rainy here last week. Farmers are delayed with their wheat sowing.

Quite a number from here attended the five county fair at Farmville recently.

Claiborne Inge was on his vacation last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Gow and Mrs. Fannie Hoover, of Battle Creek, Mich., arrived last Wednesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Ed Roach of Pamplin.

Wiley Ranson spent last Tuesday in Richmond.

Mrs. C. S. Ranson made a business trip to Lynchburg one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Williams, of Cullen were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dickerson recently.

Mrs. Robert Roach, Miss Cassie Baldwin and Mrs. Cal Ranson attended the Pamplin W.M.S. Group meeting at Elon Church last Tuesday. Rev. C. G. Carter was the guest speaker.

Friends were shocked to hear of the death of L. E. Smith, Sr. Deepest sympathy is extended to his wife and children.

Mrs. D. R. Inge and Chalborne were visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Roach awhile Wednesday afternoon.

Jim Frank Ranson called in the home of T. A. Foster awhile Sunday.

S. C. Ranson was a caller in the neighborhood today.

Quite a number from Rocks attended the R. T. U. Group Rally at Red Oak Church Friday night.

Friends were shocked to hear of the death of Mrs. Rosa Jennings at Evergreen this A. M.

The quarterly business meeting will be held at the church October 18th at 2:30 P. M. All members are urged to be present.

Violent storm hits Savannah.

Virginia Education Association is meeting in Richmond.

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Local Happenings

The Rev. W. M. Thompson, former pastor, will preach at Liberty Church Church Sunday at 7:30 P. M. and are invited to attend.

W. Smith will leave today for ...ke where he will attend the ...nual session of the Virginia Con... and meetings of the Con... Board of Lay Activities and ... Board on Hospitals and Homes, ...hich he is a member.

...d and Mrs. Edwin Fore, of ...ia were Sunday guests of Mr. ...rs. E. C. Rogers.

...Miss Annie Lawrie Moore, Crewe, ...Miss Hilda Moore, Baltimore, ...d the week in the home of R. ...Moore.

...r. and Mrs. J. H. Lucado have ...rned from visiting their daugh... in Baltimore.

...Mrs. W. M. Hancock celebrated ...ir birthday Tuesday even... October 9, at a dinner party. ...present were: Mr. and Mrs. ...P. Woolfork, of Petersburg; ...Florence Carson, of Steelton, ...Mrs. Mamie Kelly and Miss ...Hancock, of Lynchburg; Mr. ...Mrs. W. M. Abbitt and chil... Anne and Watkins, Jr.; Mr. ...Mrs. W. W. Scott and daugh... Xaneye; Mr. and Mrs. P. S. ...lard; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Han... and son, Walter Edward.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Mann, Mrs. J. R. Lawson, Harry Gordon Lawson, Grover Smith and J. C. Caldwell plan to attend the W. & M., U. of N. C. football game in Williamsburg Saturday.

Mrs. Mildred Alvis, county visiting teacher, is attendeding the Virginia Education Association meeting in Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernell Mitchell and family have moved into their new home.

Mrs. Charlie Hanenkrat and children plan to spend tomorrow in Lynchburg with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Reynolds.

Miss Ada O'Brien, of Staten Island, N. Y., spent last week with her sister, Mrs. W. P. Gills. Others visiting in this home during the weekend were Mrs. James A. Conner, of Roxboro; Mrs. William Copenhaver, of Richmond, and Allen Gills, of Farmville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Abbitt plan to spend Saturday in Richmond and attend the U. of R. and V. M. I. football game.

Mrs. P. C. Dresser, Mrs. R. M. Mann and P. T. Dresser spent the week-end in Atlanta, and attended the V. M. I., Georgia Tech football game.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Robertson, of Spout Spring are attending the National Postmasters' Association in Los Angeles, Calif.

Col. and Mrs. Wm. A. Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Burke, Judge J. W. Flood, L.F. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Robinson and Miss Dot Johnson attended the University of Virginia vs. Harvard football game Saturday in Charlottesville.

Supt. and Mrs. J. A. Burke are in Richmond attending the VEA meeting there.

Mrs. P. C. Wharton is visiting Mrs. W. T. Steele, who is recovering from a recent illness in the Burke home. Mrs. R.F.B. Steele and children, of Petersburg will spend tonight in this home.

John A. Booth, of New York, visited friends here this week. Mr. Booth was in Lynchburg to see his mother, Mrs. Betty Booth, who is a patient at Va. Baptist Hospital.

R. F. B. Steele, of Petersburg, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. W. T. Steele.

Mrs. G. L. Doss, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Robinson, Mrs. H. G. Johnson and daughter, Barbara Ann, plan to spend the week-end in Williamsburg and attend the W & M., U. of N. C. football game there Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Norfleet will leave tonight for Greenville, S. C., to visit her parents.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Upton were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hoffman and daughter, Edga. Upton and son, Herbert Upton and Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Pos, Jr. and Mrs. Roy Flippo and son.

Miss Wilma Burns attended the Fairview Heights baseball banquet last Friday in Lynchburg.

Mrs. Jack Smith is recovering from an eye injury.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Roland Ferguson, Misses Mattie Ferguson and Elsie Doss, and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Smith.

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Eskimo hunters brought word of the find, due north of the storied Klondike gold fields, to Aklavik during the summer, and Ernest Maxwell, a Yellowknife mining engineer, who made a dangerous plane flight, has returned to verify the reports.

Eskimos told of finding solid gold nuggets, worth more than $100 apiece, along the river banks, and Maxwell said he washed gold along the Firth and its tributaries.

The Firth arises in the extreme northeastern part of Alaska, crosses the boundary into Yukon territory and flows into the Arctic ocean. It is in forbidding country where game is scarce.

Vets Are Best Students, College Survey Indicates

EVANSTON, ILL. — Veterans who were freshmen last year at Northwestern university made slighUy, though significantly, higher grades than non-veterans in the class, according to a study recently completed.

The research was done by E. L. Clark, associate professor of psychology. He selected 562 ex-servicemen and 372 non-veterans having equal potentialities as students.

His work disclosed that veterans were a little better motivated but worked harder to succeed. Their grades averaged .31 per cent over men who were not in service.

Non-veterans were better prepared to succeed in college. They entered with more academic credits and were 34 months younger.

Attorney General Clark Aids Entry of G.I. Chinese Kin

WASHINGTON.— Atty. Gen. Tom C. Clark ordered the immigration and naturalization service to speed up the processing of Chinese women and children arriving in San Francisco to join their G.I. husbands.

His action followed complaints that they were being detained for prolonged periods without opportunity for the husbands and fathers to meet with them.

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Early Wooing by Seals To Cost Many Fur Coats

WASHINGTON.—Because a lot of seals started wooing early this year, a lot of men won't be able to buy their wives sealskin coats.

The interior department said that only 61,447 skins were harvested this season, far less than average.

The reason:

Young male seals—the ones that get skinned—began "mingling with the young females earlier than usual."

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By FRANK COLBY
Bell Syndicate.—WNU Features.

LET'S LEARN A NEW WORD

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The adjective "subversive" is actually not a new word; but it is only lately that the average American has been seeing the word in print and hearing it on the air, and understanding only vaguely what it means.

Since it is a word of deep significance to this democracy in its determination to preserve the American way of life, each of us should add the word to his vocabulary.

The adjective subversive derives from the verb subvert, from the Latin sub, "under," plus vertere, "to turn"; hence, to overthrow, to ruin or destroy. So, anything that is subversive is that which seeks to undermine and destroy completely.

In American usage, "subversive person, subversive elements, subversive movements" refer to persons or groups of persons that openly or secretly seek the overthrow of our government so that Communism, Fascism, Nazism or some other non-democratic rule may be imposed upon us.

We Americans like one-word labels for almost everything. We have therefore, begun to use the word subversive, especially in the plural form, as a noun, meaning, "a person (or persons) who indulges in subversive practices."

You will not find the noun subversive in any dictionary; but it already is so well established that it must be admitted to good usage.

No matter how much purists may rant, there is nothing sinful, illogical or ungrammatical in forming nouns from adjectives. We have been doing it for centuries. Here are just a few of many that now are sanctioned by highest authority (all these nouns were formerly adjectives only): Progressive, directive, abrasive, collective, objective, corrective, protective, radical, fundamental.

So it is quite within the genius of English, and American English especially, to speak of "Communists, fellow travelers and other subversives."

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Omaha: Why are carnations often called "pinks" even when they are white or red?—Mrs. H. di P.

Answer: This particular word pink does not refer to color. It is from the verb, to pink: "to cut small scallops in the border or edge." If you will examine a carnation, you will find that the edges of the petals appear to have been pinked.

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